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THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), Applicant hereby cites the following reference(s):

U.S. Patent Documents

DOCUMENT NUMBER Number-Kind Code (if known)	DATE	NAME
4,113,088	09/1978	Binkhorst
4,173,281	11/1979	Trought
4,257,521	03/1981	Poler
4,392,569	07/1983	Shoup
4,423,809	01/1984	Mazzocco
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Foreign Patent Documents

DOCUMENT NUMBER Number-Kind Code (if known)	DATE	COUNTRY
FR 2 638 248	04/1990	France
GB 2 222 816 A	03/1990	United Kingdom

Applicant is enclosing Form PTO-1449 (one sheet), along with a copy of each listed reference for which a copy is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2). Pursuant to the undersigned attorney's obligation and duties under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.98(a)(3) and (c), an English language translation for French Patent No. 2 638 248, which is not in English, is included for the express purpose of providing a concise explanation of the

references to the Patent and Trademark Office with the opportunity to evaluate the same.

By submitting this Statement, Applicant is attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a).

This Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of the first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with filing of this Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these material, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner's consideration of the above reference(s) and entry thereof into the record of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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